



POULTRY MARKETS

N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, June 28
Report supplied by USDA
Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" Brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.X	94-96	91-93	72-74	53-55
Mostly	94	91	72	53
N. HAMP.	82-86	74-78	60-64	40-44
Mostly	84	76	62	42
R.I.	83-89	79-86	62-67	42-48
Mostly	83-85	79-80	62-63	43-45
VERMONT	93-1.02	89-99	73-79	-
Mostly	97	94	75	-
MAINE	91-94	83-91	69-72	49-53

X Includes Central and Western Sections only.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, June 30
Report supplied by USDA
MARKET COMMENT: Prices are lower. Cartoned egg orders are irregular with most dealers noting an improvement, but only to fair levels. Much of the improvement is attributed to a loss of a delivery day Monday, rather than a pick up in demand. Jumbo short. Extra large are slightly more available with dealers' floor stocks in a range of barely adequate to adequate. Graded loose large and mediums are ample and discounting is very common and needed in order to consummate a sale. Class I's are available and the heavier weights can usually be moved, but lighter weights are more difficult to clear. Class II's are ample to burdensome; Class III's are ample with some of these classes moving to breakers. Undertone range is from weak to steady.

Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons delivered store door:

A Extra Large 67-73; A Large 66-72; A Medium 53-59.

Delmarva Poultry

Thursday, June 30
Report supplied by USDA
Market Comment: Ready to cook movement on whole birds is good and sufficient to keep production clearing quite satisfactorily. Legs are short and wanted. Leg quarters and wings continue to clear, but some plants found the demand not as brisk as before. Cutlets and breasts continue to struggle and discounting is evident from several quarters. L.T.L. asking prices are 2 cents higher at 51 to 55 cents. Fodder schedules are heavy. Live supplies are fully adequate. Average weights are generally desirable. Undertone is steady.
Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva (000).
Estimated 1,954 June 30; Actual 1,906 June 28; Actual 1,961 June 28; Average Weights 4.23 June 28; 4.28 June 21.

New York Multiple Drop Broiler Report

Thursday, June 30
Report supplied by USDA
Current broiler/fryer negotiated prices for immediate delivery includes mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva.
RANGE: U.S. Grade A 50-55; average, 54.38. Boxes, 12,613.

Heinsey's Poultry Market

Root's, East Petersburg
Tuesday, June 28
Report supplied by auction
MUSCOVY DUCKS, DRAKES: range 1.52-1.64 per lb.
MUSCOVY DUCKS, HENS: range 1.45-1.57 per lb.
PEKIN DUCKS: range .30-.38 per lb.
PULLETS: 5-7 lbs. range .26-.40 per lb.
RED FOWL: 4-5 lbs. range .16-.20 per lb.
RED FOWL: 5-6 lbs. range .24-.32 per lb.

CROSSBRED FOWL: 6-9 lbs. range .16-.28 per lb.
CROSSBRED ROOSTERS: 4-6 lbs. range .30-.60 per lb.
CROSSBRED ROOSTERS: 7-11 lbs. range .18-.45 per lb.
GUINEA FOWL: range 1.90-2.70 per lb.
BANTY ROOSTERS: range 2.25-3.75 ea.
BANTY HENS: range .50-1.25 ea.
GEESE: 9-12 lbs. range .30-.48 per lb.

TURKEYS: 12-23 lbs. range .22-.28 per lb.
BROILERS: 4-6 lbs. range .14-.22 per lb.
LEGHORN HENS: range .05-.11 per lb.
BUNNIES: range .50-.75 each.
LEGHORN ROOSTERS: range 14.00-26.00.
PIGEONS: range .90-1.20 ea.
WHITE PIGEONS: range 1.50-1.75 ea.
RABBITS: 4-6 lbs. range .10-.20 per lb.
RABBITS: 7-12 lbs. range .05-.12 per lb.
GUINEA PIGS: range .50-1.00 ea.
GOATS: range 20.00-40.00 ea.
KID GOATS: range 14.00-30.00
TOTAL AMOUNT COOPS: 1,008

Weekly New York Egg Market

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	82	82	80	79	79
Ex Large	78	78	76	75	75
Large	72	72	70	69	69
Mediums	60	60	58	57	57
Pullets	45	45	44	44	44
Off Grade	66	62	64	63	63
BROWN					
Jumbo					
Ex Large	87	87	86	86	86
Large	82	82	80	79	79
Mediums	62	62	60	60	60
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Undergrades	42	42	41	41	38
Checks	40	40	39	39	36

Nest Run Eggs

Prices are from Egg Clearinghouse, Inc., (ECI) Durham, N.H. and reflect trading prices for gradable nest run eggs (GNR) on ECI, a nationwide trading center for producers, packers and marketers. GNR eggs are classified by weight in 30-dozen cases, and traded in lots of either 300 or 750 cases. Prices are FOB buyers dock, and are computed Tuesday or Thursday of each week. This week's prices for each classification were:

Classification	Per Case	Tuesday	Thursday
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	55	54
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	44	44
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	41	38½
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	34	31
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	48	47
Checks	48 lbs.	43	42

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Thursday June 30
Report supplied by USDA
Market Comment: Prices relatively unchanged for both this and next week's deliveries. Plants are running full schedules this week, but will reduce operations in line with the 4th of July holiday. Offerings are adequate for current needs. Canner pack movement is fair. Undertone is cautious and no more than steady.
Prices Paid at Farm: Light Type Hens: 10-11, mostly 10½-11.
F.O.B. Plant: 12½-13½, mostly 13-13¾.

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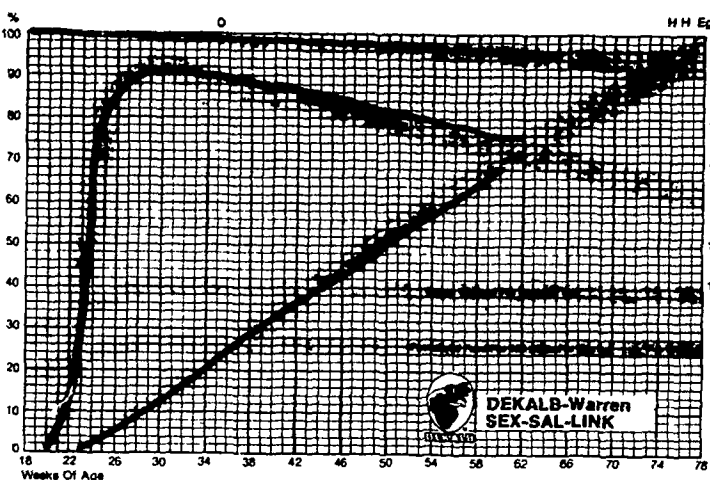


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